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Via ECFS
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I live in the heart of Silicon Valley and yet have zero options for fiber internet access at my home. The lack of competition in the broadband market has strangled development of and investment in residential internet infrastructure across the entire country. Please promote competition in the broadband market and release the strangle hold monopolies have on data infrastructure in this country. Technological progress of the entire country is at stake.

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